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SHENANDOAH WAVES GOOD-BYE TO TEXAS

ONE MAN LOSES LIFE IN TWO MILLION DOLLAR FIRE

MICHIGAN BLAZE DESTROYS ORE AND COAL DOCKS

(By United Press)

ESCANABA, Mich., Oct. 24.—Fire destroyed the Reiss Coal Company docks and two ore docks of the Chicago Northwestern railroad along the lake front here early this morning. The damage is estimated at $2,000,000. One man lost his life in the flames. The fire was under control at 2 o'clock this morning with official investigation to learn the origin.

BANDITS ARRESTED FOR ATTEMPT TO KILL KEMEAL

(By United Press)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 24.—Six armed bandits were arrested here charged with participation in the reported attempt to assassinate Mustapa Kemeal, the Turkish national leader.

SECRET CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS INVESTIGATION STARTED TODAY

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24. — A searching inquiry into alleged "concealed contributions" by big business men to protect campaign funds was begun today by the senate committee sifting Senator La Follette's "slush fund" charges.

To that end the committee was requested by Frank P. Walsh, counsel for La Follette, to summon more than a score of men prominent in business and politics. Chairman Borah indicated he would grant the request.

Walsh said today he "hoped" to be able to prove his contention that millions of dollars, not accounted for by campaign committees, are being poured into doubtful states on behalf of President Coolidge.

Borah and other members of the committee were impressed by the statement of Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, prosecutor in the Teapot Dome oil investigation that he had heard rumors of $100,000 being sent into his state to defeat him for re-election.

Chairman Butler of the Republican National Committee and Treasurer Hodges will probably be recalled by the committee at the request of Walsh.

W. W. Atterbury of Philadelphia vice president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, is expected to appear today for questioning.

R. B. Mellon, brother of Secretary Mellon and W. L. Mellon, in charge of collecting republican funds in the Pittsburgh district, are on the list of big business men, Walsh has asked subpoenaed.

Football Squad Minus Quarterback

(By United Press)

—ANN HARBOR, Mich., Oct. 24. — The University of Wisconsin football squad arrived here today for their game with the Michigan gridders minus their regular quarterback, Herbert Opitz.

Before the departure of the team from Madison, Wis. yesterday (Thursday) Optiz grasped a knife switch while making an experiment in the laboratory, and the 700 volts of electricity that passed through his body left him in a critical condition.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE M. E. CHURCH TONIGHT

The quarterly conference of the First Methodist church will be held at the church tonight, and all interested are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Phillips have returned from a few days spent at Tom's old home in Montgomery, La. They also visited in Shreveport.

THE WEATHER.

Texas—Clear and warmer.

Income Tax Figures Published On Own Responsibility

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Pending a full decision as to whether it is legal to publish income figures, the Department of Justice warned publishers that they print such data on their own responsibility. The statement issued by the Department is intended to clear up the confusion resultant from the passage of the "public inspection" provision of the tax law last May.

GERMAN NATIONALIST LEADER RESIGNED

(By United Press)

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—Herr Hergt has resigned the leadership of German nationalists. The democratic press interprets the action as a victory for reactionary elements.

JAPAN SENDS TROOPS TO CHINA

(By United Press)

OSAKA, Japan, Oct. 24.—The Japanese Cabinet decided today to send a battalion from Port Arthur to the north of China to protect Japanese residents, owing to the changed situation caused by the entry of Feng Yuh Hsiang into Pekin. Warships also are to be sent.

Leaders of China Have Declared War Must End

(By United Press)

PEKIN, Oct. 24.—The "greatest crime in modern times was the intrigue that caused the present war in northern China," Marshal Feng Yuh Hsiang, famed Christian General, whose 10,000 fighting men—the best in China—hold the capital today, said in an interview with the United Press after his coup d'etat.

"Leaders of China have decided war must end for all time. That's why we have acted and seized the city.

"China has been made a shell which all men must now try to piece together and support. I believe public opinion will back us up in this.

"It was criminal of Wu Pei Fu to send half clad, half starved soldiers in no condition for warfare to fight against the Manchurians."

Fishermen Return Thursday Night

A fishing party composed of C. T. Stephens, M. L. McDonald, B. S. Smith and Marcus Corley, returned from a fe wdays outing on the Trinity river.

They caught lots of fish but some of them got away when they staked them out and the hogs ate them.

Dr. Butte's Speaking Dates

Dr. George C. Butte, republican candidate for governor, will speak at Hillsboro Saturday, November 1, at 2:30 p. m.

He will speak at Corsicana Monday, November 3. hour not yet announced.

TIRED OF LIFE SHE COMMITS SUICIDE

(By United Press)

HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 24.—Despondent because of ill health, Miss Lydia Frels, 21, committed suicide by shooting herself in the breast with a shotgun at her home near Houston late Thursday. She had been a cripple for 12 years.

SECRETARY WALLACE IN DANGEROUS CONDITION

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace is in a serious condition at the Navy Hospital with toxemia, resulting from an intestinal infection following an operation for the removal of his appendix ten days ago, Dr. Joel T. Boone, White House physician, said this morning.

PLANS MATURING FOR BIG AUTO CARAVAN TUESDAY

Under the enthusiastic work of Jere Cason of the Chamber of Commerce and Tommie Haines of the Retail Merchants Association, plans for the big auto caravan which leaves at Eight o'clock Tuesday morning are rapidly being whipped into shape. Everybody is urged to go. The trip will be a fine one and all are asked whether they have contributed to the merchandise shower or not. Many live merchants will carry their own special advertising and it is hoped that the Mexia High School will be represented by a fine delegation. Mr. Pucket now has this matter under advisement.

The Mexia Restaurants and Cafe's have come across nobly as the following list will show. These enterprising caterers promised Mr. Cason today to furnish a substantial meal to out of town folks at a price of 25 cents per person. This will not interfere with their regular menu at their regular prices for those who wish a more elaborate meal. Topic Cafe, Jimmies Cafe, Jay's Cafe, H. & T. C. Lunch Room, Knoff Cafe's, Mack's Hamburger Stand.

About Publishing Income Returns

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 24.—Arnold Sellmich, collector of internal revenue St. Louis district, refused to permit the publication by newspapers of income tax returns thrown open to the public under the 124 revenue act.

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 24.—Refusal to allow the publication of tax returns without the consent of the person rendering same, was made by the collector of internal revenues office here.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Oct. 24.—Attorney General Harlan Stone told the United Press that he is not sure as to the legality of publishing tax returns. "I will pass upon the legality soon as my department can give me the legal phases of the matter," Stone said.

FIRE INSPECTOR SAYS HE FOUND CONDITIONS IN MEXIA GOOD

Mr. Eichelberger, State fire inspector from Austin, stated to the Mexia Daily News Friday morning that after a very careful examination he found, with a very few exceptions, the fire hazard in the city of Mexia in excellent condition. This is an evident fact that your Fire Marshall, C. L. Pittman, and other officials are very efficient and I wish to state to the public the State Fire Commission will be glad to render any service possible on request. He also stated that he noticed Mexia had observed Fire Prevention Week and he was in hopes the city would keep it up the other fifty-one weeks in the year. This city was in better condition than any place he had examined in the past six months.

ONTARIO DECIDES TO REMAIN IN DRY COLUMN

(By United Press)

ATTAWA, Ont., Oct. 24.—The Province of Ontario remains dry by a majority expected to reach 40,000 when returns from all outlying rural districts are tabulated.

At an early hour today, the vote stood:

For continuance of the temperance act—491,200.

For sale of liquor under government control 450,000.

The cities especially Ottawa, voted heavily to substitute government control for prohibition, but the rural district upset this majority and turned the tide to the drys.

Local sportsmen are preparing for the coming duck season and in fact some of them are already getting a few of the early immigrants of the feathered tribe who venture to light on some of the small ponds around here.

The Daily News' Oil Letter

By C. F. DRAKE.

ROCKDALE, Texas, Oct. 25.—Prospects for deep oil development in Milam county and in Lee and Robertson also, were never before so bright and favorable, and so uncertain.

The big companies are in Milam county strong, playing it up and down the supposed trend of the Luling-Mexia fault line, which paraliels the Balconnes Great Fault—the latter being just 35 miles west of Rockdale, and the Luling Mexia Fault running through Milam county and right through proper, that is to say, if Alexander Doussen, eminent geologist is regarded as any authority. For in his latest bulletin, "Professional Paper 126" issued from the U. S. Government printing office under authority of the Department of the Interior and under supervision and approval of the United States Geological Survey, Dr. Deussen makes this specific statement: Page 124 of Bulletin, first column, second paragraph:

"A system of minor faults extends from Somerset, Bexar county northeastward through Luling, Rockdale, Bremond, Groesbeck, and Mexia to Powell in Navarro county. The system is marked by upthrow on the east side, thus differing from the system of major faults on the west, which has down throw on the east. The system here described may be called the Luling-Mexia-Fault system. It marks the eastern limit of the Balconnes Fault Zone, cutting at the surface the Midway, and in places the Indio and Carrizo formation."

It has been pointed out to me by other geologists and practical oil operators, how significant Dr. Deussen's words are in the last sentence above, wherein he says directly that the Luling-Mexia faulting marks the eastern limit of the Balconnes Fault zone.

From feverishly facts in my possession it is known that the major companies now rather seeking acreage in Milam county, were stirred to action (partly at least) by this positive declaration of Dr. Deussen's in regard to the probability of finding oil in Milam county—a situation which has long been neglected by the major companies—and even more or less "talked down" by some few of them. Bu every dog has his day, and Milam county's day has come at last, apparently. At least, the takings of more than 50,000 acres and a two-well drilling contract by the Sinclair Oil and Gas Company would seem to indicate something of the sort.

The Sinclair Oil and Gas Company spudded in early last week with No. 1 H. F. Smith-Turney, J. K. McLennan survey, and are now drilling at around 500 feet. The Sinclair development is situated in a sandy piece of post-oak timber, 300 feet north and 300 feet west of the northwest corner of the R. N. Turney 162-acre lease, the land belonging to H. F. Smith, Jr. Sinclair has a block of between 6,000 and 8,000 acres and is practically tight against intrusion by leasers, about the nearest approach a lease-hound can get to the drilling well for a piece of acreage is more than a mile. A. F. Haynes for the Sinclair Company manipulated the deal for acreage, having begun work on it last June. The contract calls for two wells in certain circumstances to be sunk to a depth of not less

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METHODISTS SAY PROHIBITION IS BIG ISSUE IN AMERICA

(By United Press)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 24—Old fashioned Methodists amens prevailed all over the hall here last night as the two-day session of the Methodist men's conventoin was concluded.

William H. Upshaw, representative from Georgia, one of last night's speakers declared that "America's mightiest task is not economic, industrial nor political. It is the proof our prohibition law was not a mistake in its concept and a failure in its enforcement."

J. I. Riddle And Tom Nolan to Play Off Match Friday

The third golf tournament at the Mexia Country Club has been underway all this week, for the Patterson cup trophy. Out of the large number of starters last Monday all have been eliminated with the exception of J. I. Riddle and Tom Nolan, who will play off the match Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Vincent Gantz, the present holder of the cup was eliminated in the early part of the tournament and a great deal of interest is being aroused among the local golfers as to the outcome of the final match.

Texas U. Faculty At Teachers Assn.

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 24.—Several members of the faculty of the University of Texas will have a part on the program of the Texas State Teachers' Association, which will meet in San Antonio, November 27.

In the classical section, Miss Nina Lee Weisinger, adjunct professor of Spanish, will speak on A Practical Demonstration of the Use of Latin and teaching Spanish. In the high school principals and supervisors section, Dr. J. L. Henderson, will speak on The Junior High School in other States, and L. H. Hubbard dean of students, will have for his subject The High School Curricula of Tomorrow. W. P. Webb Adjunct professor of history, will talk on Opportunities for Research in Local History in Texas.

Addressing the home economics section will be Miss Mary Edna Gearing, head of the department of home economics of the University, and Miss Jeannie Pinckney, of the nutrition and health division of the Bureau of Extension.

Professor J. W. Calhoun will lecture to the mathematics section on The Beauties of Geometry. Professor E. R. Sims will speak before the modern language section on Uniform Modern Language College Entrance Requirements and the Amount Prescribed for the Bachelor of Arts Degree. In the section devoted to the parent-teacher associations, Dr. A. Caswell Ellis, professor of education at the University, will discuss The Problem of Financing the Schools of Texas.

YOU CAN NOW SEE WHAT OTHER FELLOW PAID

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Complying with a provision of the new tax law, collectors of internal revenue throughout the country have posted lists of income taxes paid this year in their offices where they are open to public inspection.

PROMINENT EDITOR DIES IN CHICAGO

(By United Press)

LEE'S SUMMIT, Mo., Oct. 24.—John E. Wright, 64, many years managing editor of the Chicago Evening Post and later of the St. Louis Times died at his home here last night.

Railroad Merger Case To Be Taken Under Advisement NextWeek

(By United Press)

EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 24.—A petition for a permanent injunction against the proposed merger of the El Paso & Southwestern system and the Southern Pacific lines was on file in the United States District court here today.

The appeal was made by George H. Park and James F. Kilcrease as individuals, asking that the merger plans be set aside pending litigation. The petition charged the Southern Pacific lines was seeking a "monoply" of transportation and that the proposed merger would be a violation of the Clayton anti-trust act. The case will probably be taken under advisement next week, it was indicated.

GREENVILLE HAS 300,000 BLAZE

(By United Press)

GREENVILLE, Texas, Oct. 24.—Loss estimated at $300,000 resulted when fire swept through the Greenville Cotton Oil Mill.

Three seed houses containing 5,000 tons of seed and an adjacent rooming house were destroyed, by the blaze, which for a time threatened the industrial section of the city.

Capers Children's Condition Improved

The two small children, Gordon age 7, and Marita age 4, who were seriously burned in the gas explosion at their home north of Wortham Tuesday morning are reported to be much improved over their condition yesterday. The small boy, who was more seriously injured than the baby girl, shows encouragement and has a chance for recovery. The girl is expected to get well, although being badly burned.

The remains of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Capers were sent to Gorman, Texas, Thursday night and will be buried there Friday afternoon. The large number of relatives who arrived here from all sections of the state have gone to Gorman with the bodies. Several of them will return here to be with the children after the funeral takes place.

Missionary Meeting M. W. M. Society

With Mrs. Lewis conducting the study session, the Methodist Women's Missionary society met on Monday afternoon in its social study meeting at the home of Mrs. John Sweat, with 60 present.

With the general subject "The New Pentecost In Korea and Japan" Mrs. Lewis read and commented very beautifully on the parable of the Good Samaritan, pointing out the duty of the Church in foreign fields. The same theme was further developed in talks by Mrs. Peyton, Mrs. W. B. Andrews, and Mrs. W. K. Boyd, while Mrs. Landrum added a novel touch in presenting her Missionary Posters, urging every member to regular attendance and prayer study.

Mrs. Oscar Denning rendered a delightful piano solo, and Mrs. W. P. Boling sang.

Following a business discussion, a salad course was served.

Mrs. Sweat was assisted as hostess by Mrs. R. A. Parker, Mrs. W. K. Boyd, Mrs. A. M. Stevens.

Get Ready

The stage is all set for the big drive Tuesday, Oct. 28th. Every merchant in Mexia should have at least one car in the drive.

The Mexia Daily News will have hundreds of copies of Monday's issue of the News distributed on the tour. In order to get your advertising in this issue you must get your copy in Saturday. To make Nov. 8th. a big day, each merchant should advertise their own line and have specials for this day.

JOHN I. McELROY,
Pres. Retail Merchants Assn.

BIG SHIP STARTS HOMEWARD TRIP FROM FORT WORTH

(By United Press)

FORT WORTH, Texas, Oct. 24.—The Shenandoah slipped away from her mooring mast at the U. S. helium plant here at 10:40 o'clock this morning, headed for Lakehurst, N. J., where she is expected to arrive late Saturday afternoon.

Promising weather reports brought a change of course at flying time. The ship swung over Dallas, circled the State Fair Grounds and then headed north toward Little Rock.

Other points along the proposed course are Dayton and Columbus, Ohio, and thence eastward to Lakehurst.

The Shenandoah shipped 200,000 cubic feet of helium and refueled during the eight hour stay here, having moored at 2:25 o'clock last night.

FOUR MURDERERS HANGED TODAY IN MONTREAL CANADA

(By United Press)

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 24.—Four men were hanged at day-break for the murder of a pay car chauffeur during a hold-up.

Tony Frank, erstwhile "king of the underworld", Louis Morel, Giuseppe Serafini and Frank Gimbino were executed practically simultaneously at Bordeaux jail—despite every effort of their friends and attorneys to save their lives.

The men who were hanged today were four of a gang of eight who planned and carried out the hold up of a pay car at Hochelaga on April 1 in which Henri Clerouex, the chauffeur of the car was killed.

Morel and Gambino were hanged together, first, and the execution of Frank and Serafini followed five minutes later.

Morel died gamely as had been expected. Gambino, who was only a hired gunman, whimpered slightly, but braced himself at the end as the noose was adjusted and kissed a crucifix.

Tony Frank seemed in a daze as his turn came and he and Serafini were hanged.

The morning was hazy and day had scarcely dawned when the executions were effected. Electric lights cast a ghastly glare upon the gallows.

Scores of police guarded the jail inside and out, throughout the night to prevent a possible attempt at delivery.

Motorcycle policemen rode around the jail and the jail yard while armed guards marked off a line around Bordeaux walls past which no one was permitted after 11:30 last night.

One policeman suffered a heart attack just before the hangings, crying:

"I can't stand this."

To Bar Preachers Marrying Divorced People In Future

(By United Press)

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—A resolution having for its ultimate aim the placing of restrictions on Lutheran ministers from remarrying divorced couples was presented Thursday at the convention of the church here.

The resolution asks the convention to instruct the commission on adjudication to make a study of the whole question of the remarriage of divorced couples and the duties of pastors in such cases and report at the 1925 convention.

Two fold action is desired on the question. The synod seeks to have the convention lay down a statement of definite causes for divorce and secondly, to have the convention commit itself on a pastor's duties when a divorced person asks to be remarried.

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S. M. U. Versus Texas A. & M. Dallas Tomorrow

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 24.—While the result of the Texas University game has not yet been forgotten by the student body and other followers of the Mustangs, the players realize that they have a much harder game before them when they tackle the powerful and versatile squad from College Station in Dallas Saturday. Monday evening the conference champs had only a light workout, loosening up stiff muscles and getting rid of the sore places acquired in the game Saturday.

With the exception of Turner, every man on the Mustang squad will be in perfect condition for the game with the Aggies unless some of them are hurt in practice this week. But it is not likely that anyone will be injured this week. But it is not likely that anyone will be injured under the system of coaching used by Morrison and Freeland. Although there were a few injuries before the Texas game, most of the men were in good condition for the battle.

"Aggies Next," that is the [illegible] that is prevalent on the campus of Southern Methodists University, and it started early Monday morning, the Texas game is now past. Admitted by a great majority of the sport writers to have the best team by far in the conference, the Texas Aggies are coming to Dallas to get revenge for the past two years in which the Mustangs have handed them two straight defeats. And the one that hurt most was the one that started them down the hill to almost the bottom of the conference when they handed them a defeat on the traditional Kyle Field.

In 1923 the Mustangs were doped to lose by at least two or three touchdowns, and just as one of the Dallas sport writers recently stated, they never run true to the dope. This year the Mustangs are again doped to lose as the Aggies are stronger than they were last season and the Mustangs are notably weaker.

Watters, first year man seems to have stopped up the right side of the line successfully at tackle in the game with the Longhorns Saturday, but whether or not he can stop the powerful off tackle plays of the Aggies will not be known until after the game. Goldberg and Parks both played in the game and showed up well.

This game with the Aggies has much bearing on the outcome of the conference race, and the winner will probably be the favorite to finish at the top of the ladder in the conference race. It will be the hardest fight yet between these two teams with A. & M. favorites.

E. L. Smith, president of the E. L. Smith Oil Company, Blake Smith vice president and W. T. Church, attorney, left this morning to attend the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association that is to be held in Dallas.

RADIO PROGRAMS

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--Central Standard Time--
(Use Station Calls Above)

Central Standard Time.
By DAISY MAYS.

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WIP, 6:00 Uncle Wip.
KFO, 6:00 to 7:30 Concert orchestra.
WCX, 6:00 Musical program.
WDAF, 6:00 to 7:00 School of the Air.
WFI, 6:00 Sunny Jim, the kiddies' pal.
WCAE, 6:30 Uncle Kaybee.
WOO, 6:30 Orchestra.
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30 Seiger's orchestra.
WDAR, 6:30 Dream Daddy's bedtime stories.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WCAE, 7:00 Special feature.
WOC, 7:00 Sandman's visit.
WDAR, 7:00 "Turning the Pages."
KYW, 7:00 to 7:30 Coon-Sanders' Original Nighthawks.
WBAV, 7:00 Baritone; 'cello quartet.
WMB, 7:00 to 8:00 Weekly talk; Sweeney Radio trio.
WDAR, 7:10 Green Hills Farm trio; Radio play.
WOC, 7:20 Address.
WCAE, 7:15 Special feature.
WWJ, 7:30 Detroit News orchestra with soloist.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30 Concert, quartet.
WCAE, 7:30 Harmony Boys orchestra.
WHAS, 7:30 to 9:00 Concert.
WOO, 7:30 Intimate concert from Fox theater.
KFI, 7:30 to 8:00 Examiner news bulletin.
KYW, 7:30 to 8:00 Music Publishing company.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

KHJ, 8:00 to 8:30 Hickman's orchestra.
WSB, 8:00 to 9:00 Minstrel.
WOC, 8:00 Old-time music.
KSD, 8:00 Address.
WLW, 8:00 Address, John W. Davis.
WDAF, 8:00 to 9:30 Popular program.
WMC, 8:30 Britling's orchestra.
KFI, 8:45 to 10:00 Organ recital.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

WOAW, 9:00 Program.
WOO, 9:03 Organ recital.
WDAR, 9:05 Dance orchestra; songs.
WOO, 9:30 Dance orchestra.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45 Organ recital.
KYW, 9:30 to 12:30 Midnight revue.
KFSG, 9:30 to 11:15 Crusaders Rally; silver band.

10:00 to 11:00 p. m.

KHJ, 10:00 to 12:00 Program.
KGW, 10:00 Popular lecture.
KFI, 10:00 to 11:00 Evening Herald concert.
WSB, 10:45 Quartet.

11:00 p. m. to 12:00.

WMC, 11:00 Midnight frolic.
KFI, 11:00 to 12:00 Examiner concert.
KFSG, 11:15 to 12:00 Silver band.
WDAF, 11:15 Nighthawk frolic.

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J. T. Knox at Knox Service Station in Mexia or
J. W. Sims, 731 East Palestine Street, Mexia.

Knights Templar Inspection Tonight

Coeur de Lion Commandery, Knights Templar will meet tonight at 7 o'clock for the annual inspection. All members are required to attend in full uniform, if they have uniforms, otherwise they are required to attend anyway. Visitors will also be welcome.

Don't fail to attend this meeting.

J. D. ADDINGTON, E. C.

FORMER MEXIA MAN APPREHENDED AT YAKIMA, WASH.

Chief of Police, Albert Mace returned from Austin Thursday night with requisition papers for the return of R. H. Broadstreet, who has been located at Yakima, Wash., to this state.

M. P. Willis will leave on the night train Friday for Yakima to return Broadstreet to this place to face charges of removing mortgaged property from the state, and other charges.

Broadstreet was a barber employed in a local shop up until January of this year.

Keep on telling 'em and you will keep on selling 'em. News advertising brings desired results.

Are you one of those who spends your earnings in another city or town? Don't you think it would be a pretty god idea to spend it with your home town people, the people who support your churches, schools, who support your churches, schools, city government? Think it over!

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OIL NEWS

The Mexia Balconnes fault in the past two weeks has been very active along this structure. The Carter-Lytle brought in a big gasser making 20 million cubic feet of gas in the north end of the field, about six miles from Mexia just south of Wortham. The big companies are buying all loose acreage in that vicinity. The Boyd Oil Company is drilling just west of this big gasser on the Boyd lease. The Humble, J. K. Hughes Developing Company and the E. L. Smith Oil Company, all owning acreage close around this gasser will probably sink wells in the near future.

Snowden-McSweeney brought in a big gusher making 4000 barrels of high grade oil about 15 miles north of Mexia on the Longbotham lease, an offset to the J. K. Hughes Developing Company's Morrow. With a number of wells drilling in the Richland field and wildcatting in all directions the oil activities are taking on an aspect like the early boom days of 1920 and 1921 along this structure, with many operators turning their eyes to the north end and south end of the Mexia field.

T. Frank Smith, manager of the Bain Oil Co., brought in a big gasser at a deep depth in the south end of the Mexia field, about twelve miles from Mexia, just west of Groesbeck. Mr. Smith has always had faith in the south end of the Mexia field as he brought in numbers of gas wells at a shallow depth in this territory, ten years ago, for the Mexia Oil & Gas Co. and he feels sure that he will strike oil around this vicinity in large paying quantities. The oil fraternity would not be surprised to see derricks strung from Powell on the north to Kosse on the south, a distance of forty miles within the next year.

Col. Humphreys who brought in the Mexia field has been in Limestone county for the past week keeping in close touch with all the activities along the Mexia Balconnes fault and watching the test of the Boyd Oil Company on the Boyd tract just north of Mexia.

The U. S. Petroleum Institute have selected Ft. Worth for the 1924 annual meeting of the American Petroleum Institute, by the directors of the organization in New York Monday night, The institution will be held December 9-10 and 11. This Institute draws an attendance of about 3000 prominent oil men, some of the biggest men in the oil industry in America. This is the first time that this institution has ever met south or west of St. Louis.

The outlook for an immediate advance in crude oil is looked forward to at an early date by all the independent operators. The only fear among the operators is that lots of wildcatting and oil wells will be brought in that will have some effect on the upward trend, which is bound to come with each week showing a decrease in production.

J. K. Hughes, president of the J. K. Hughes Developing Company who has been in New York city for the past month, returned to his home Tuesday of this week where the main office of his oil company is located.

Zay Gardner-Speight now drilling around 3157 feet. The operators think they will know the outcome of the well in a short time as they expect to find the pay sand around 3520 to 3530. L. W. Capps who is superintending the work stated that Mr. Gardner would arrive from St. Louis on the noon train Saturday. This well entered the chalk higer than the Speight No. 1, and came out of the chalk at a higher depth which makes it look very favorable as a good showing of oil was found in the Speight No. 1. In the past two weeks the geologist department from several big companies have been working out this structure.

The Oklahoma School lands are commanding a big price from the operators, who bid in excess of $500,000 for drilling rights on two tracts situated in Kay county Oklahoma. The contracts will be awarded Tuesday October 29th.

Julius H. Fohs, of New York city was in the city last night. Mr. Fohs was formerly associated with the Humphreys Company and worked out the structure in the Mexia Field. He is recognized as one of the foremost geologist of the country.

C. E. Boberg with the J. K. Hughes Developing Co. spent the past week in South Texas on B. B. Simmonds Ranch, Mr. Simmonds is vice president of the J. K. Hughes Developing Co.

R. L. Wheelock, official of the E. L. Smith Oil Company with headquarters at Corsicana, left today to attend the Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association which meets in Dallas.

The Pure Oil Company is drilling a well on the Wedbster tract in the south end of the Mexia field just west of roosbeck. The well is now around twelve hundred feet.

Arbitration That Will Arbitrate

(By United Press)

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 24.—A unique method of arbitration, with the settlement of the long waged battle between the city of San Antonio and the local gas company as its goal, is proposed by the Grubstake Investment company of near Three Rivers.

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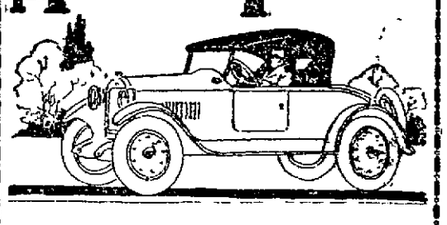

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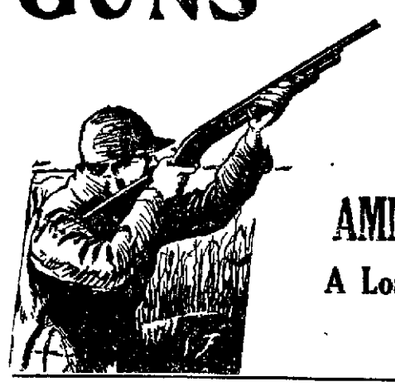

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THE G. O. P. CLAIM AGENTS

The country is indebted to Jouett Shouse, an assistant secretary of the treasury in the Wilson administration, for a formula by which to weigh the absurd claims of "assured" electoral votes for Mr. Coolidge now being broadcast by Chairman Butler and his subalterns. In 1912 Mr. Shouse points out, Chairman Hillis on the very eve of the election was claiming for Mr. Taft 230 votes in the electoral college, or 24 more than enough to elect Taft, it will be remembered, got eight; he was the worst defeated major party candidate in the history of the country.

Mr. Shouse sees other parallels that make the lesson of the Hillis boasts particularly profitable for study by Mr. Butler. He sees a remarkable similarity of the issues between the parties, a basic similarity in the position of the divided Republican party, and a fundamental similarity in the economic situation—good crops, affording Republicans phantom excuse to hope that the people will not vote for a change.

Says Mr. Shouse: "In 1912, as now, the Republican campaign managers filled the press with blatant claims. Taft had his Hillis as Coolidge has his Butler . . . Taft had his Ballinger as Coolidge has his Daugherty. He also has Denby and others who figured in the surrender to Doheny and Sinclair of public oil resources. Taft had his Roosevelt, Coolidge has his La Follette."

"The issues are the same in 1924 as in 1912; the corruption is the same, except in degree, the record of the party is the same; the type of Democratic candidates to restore to the country clean, progressive and virile government is the same as in 1912. To say that the results at the polls November 4 will not be the same is to say that the American people are not the same as they were in 1912."

Finally, Mr. Shouse suggests that the proper formula is this. "Taft is to Coolidge as eight is to——."

That helps to clear the air.

The air is further cleared by the fact that defections from Republicanism in 1924 are not confined largely to a third candidate as they were in 1912, but are coming to the Democratic ranks in swelling volume.

Golf As Played In West Texas

(By United Press)

DEL RIO, Oct. 24.—Del Rio's firebugs had to "turn off" from fire drill one day recently and all because of the poor aim of some golfer.

At the height of the drill, while the hoses were playing streams of water in copious quantities on imaginary fires, a lowly golf ball was sucked through the hose and into one of the nozzles.

The ball, in good condition and "rarin" for another game, was removed and the fire fighting continued.

A NEW PRESIDENT.

(By United Press)

YOAKUM, Oct. 24.—With the resignation of Alvin Lange, because of ill health, O. R. Davis, vice president and manager of the Texas Wholesale Grocery company of Youkum and Gonzales, has been named president of the South Texas Wholesale Grocers' Association. Lange was elected president of the association at the annual convention only a few months ago.

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HEARNE WILDCAT IS SHOWING SOME OIL

HEARNE, Texas, Oct. 24.—The No. 1 Bland test on the Willerson lease showed oil while crew was going back in the hole after repairs to broken hose, the oil coming up through the drill stem. Bit is down 3050 feet with bottom of the hole at 4270 feet. It is not known at what depth the oil is coming from.

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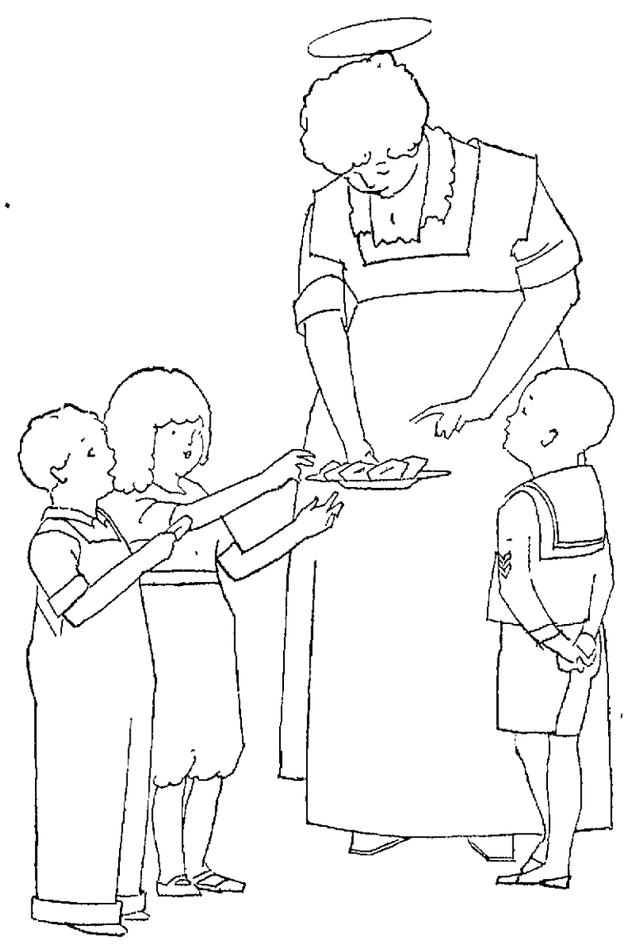

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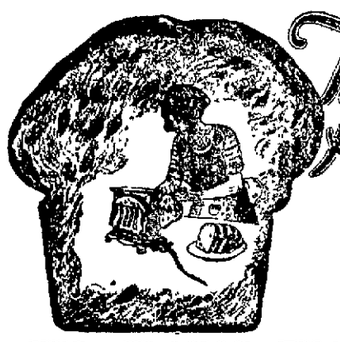

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The Beaver Company's No. 1 Riverbed is drilling in after setting casing at about 3090 feet and is said to make a well. It is an offset to the North & South's Baker No 22 recently completed for 1100 barrels The North & South has also completed its No 1 Trammell, which is the furthermost northeast well in the Caldwell county field and have moved the rig to the Trammell lease still farther northeast The Trammel made a small well of about 200 barrels of clean oil it is considered a good indication of an extension of the field in that direction

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Cook to proper consistency so that it pours Boil 1 cupful of mushrooms for five minutes slice mix with sauce and pour over chicken

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Snowden-McSweeney's No 11, Longbotham test was successfully completed a producer Tuesday in the Currie field

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McIntyre began baling on his Richards well near Richland Tuesday night and work continues there today Reports of good oil and gas indications have been made Many of the scouts are at the well observing the progress and showing being made

Building Activities In This City

Mexia is undergoing a general building program, all of which are handsome permanent private homes and substantial business enterprises

A building permit has been issued to the Oilfield Lumber Company for a two-story, brick office building and two sheds each 20x115 feet The sheds will be constructed on a steel frame with sheet iron walls and will be a great improvement to the looks of the block. The building will be erected on the block opposite the City Hall, on Main street facing north, which is now vacant The Oilfield Lumber Company now have their office and yard on West Carthage street, across the railroad tracks And upon entering their new home the company will make Mexia the head office for this section of the state, as they have many lumber yards in central Texas

Mrs A L Waller has under construction a five room cottage on East Sumpter street

Dr Z T Goolsby has just completed the construction of a beautiful $15 000 home on Ross ave, which will be ready to occupy within a few days

I P Huchingson, agent for the H & T C Railroad here, is nearing completion of his handsome $18,000 home on Ross avenue and numerous others are preparing to build

Oscar Robinson is building a new home for himself on East Commerce street

The $500,000 Cotton Mill in the southern part of the city is progressing rapidly Six of the twenty-five cottages have been completed, all of these homes will be well constructed four and five room cottages. It is estimated by the builders that the mill will be completed by the first of the year and ready to occupy The walls of the mill are now going up very rapidly It is stated by J Perry Burrus, President of the Mexia Cotton Mill, who is now visiting the mill site watching the progress of construction, that about one hundred and twenty-five persons will be employed in the mill when completed

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SPORTLIGHTS

By SCRIBBLES.

The Hubbard Hi Jackrabbits will engage the local Black Cats in battle royal this afternoon at Nowlin Park. This is the first game that these two teams have played against each other in three or four years. Mexia won the last game 6 to 3, the touchdown coming after a Hubbard punt had been blocked and an end swooped up the ball and ran about thirty yards for the score. The probable starting lineup that will be used by Coach Poteet will be:

Aulds and Hoelzel, ends.
Thompson and Corley, Tackles.
Ward and Murphy, Guards.
Bennett, center.
Clover, Quarter.
Karner and Perkinson, Halves.
Buford, Fullback.

Tickets for the Baylor-A. and M. game went on sale Wednesday and they are selling rapidly. The game will be played on the Cotton Palace gridiron Nov. 1st.

Information from Austin states that there will be no formal opening ceremonies of the Texas stadium at the Baylor-Texas game and that only the east side of the stadium will be used. That side will seat 14,500. Tickets are already on sale.

After holding Yale to a tie, Harvard is working hard for the Dartmouth game next Saturday. Their 190 pound backfield is expected to hold them much.

Zupp's has let down on the heavy scrimmage for the DePauw game as they are expecting to take it easily.

The State Orphan Home eleven defeated the Frost eleven at Corsicana Wednesday 32 to 0

The student body of the Oklahoma A. and M. College met Wednesday night to decide whether or not to change the name of the athletic teams from "Aggies" to "Cowboys." The Aggies contend that if it is "cow" college they should be called 'Cowboys.'

Steger, it is reported, will play quarter for Michigan against Wisconsin, Saturday. Many other radical changes are being made according to rumors seeping from the secret camp.

THE LAST WORD IN PASSENGER TRAINS WILL ARRIVE IN MEXIA SATURDAY P. M.

An entirely new Sunset Limited, running between San Francisco and New Orleans, will arrive here Saturday at 3:40 p. m. operated by the Southern Pacific as the most modern trans-continental train in the country.

New equipment, of steel construction throughout, has been especially built for the Limited, with the view of providing every modern convenience for the comfort of travelers.

There will be a maid, barber and valet to serve travelers. Two cars of each train will be fitted with bath rooms, while other new features will make it truly a speeding hotel. The train will not carry tourist cars or coaches.

Running time and service of the Sunset Express also will be improved between San Francisco and New Orleans.

These two trains will greatly facilitate the handling of constantly increasing tourist and homeseeker travel to and from Pacific Coast States.

One hour and 15 minutes will be cut from the running time of the Sunset Limited from San Francisco to New Orleans. The time of the Sunset Express will be shortened by one hour and 35 minutes.

The most modern Southern Pacific dining cars, with seating capacity for 36 passengers, will be used on the Sunset Limited. These cars have ceiling fans, larger kitchen ranges and additional refrigerator space.

Latest type club cars contain a bath for men and barber shop with competent barber and valet in charge. This will permit passengers to arrive at destination with neatly pressed suits or dresses.

Each richly furnished observation car for this service will carry a maid, who also is a manicurist and hairdresser. In addition to drawing rooms, compartments and the observation section, this car will contain a retiring room and bath for women passengers.

Features of the new Pullman sleepers include improved ventilation, air to the berth of each section and an adjustable rack, instead of hammock, in upper berths for clothing and even hand grips.

Under the new schedule, the Sunset Limited will leave San Francisco at 6:15 p. m. instead of 5 p. m. as at present, leave Santa Barbara at 5:10 a. m. and arrive Los Angeles at 8:20 a. m. It will leave Los Angeles 9 a. m., El Paso 8:40 a. m. the next day, and arrive in New Orleans at 7:35 p. m. The present westbound schedule will be maintained.

The Sunset Express, which will handle the Washington-Sunset tourist sleeper to the National Capitol, now carried by Sunset Limited, will leave San Francisco 4:50 p. m. instead of 8:30 p. m., leave San Jose 6:10 p. m., Santa Barbara at 4:50 a. m. and arrive Los Angeles 8:10 a. m. instead of 12:10 p. m. as at present. It will leave Los Angeles 9:10 a. m., Tucson 5:00 a. m. and El Paso at 3:30 p. m.,

On the westbound trip the Sunset Express will run through to San Francisco from Los Angeles, via the Coast Line. It will leave El Paso at 3:05 p. m. arriving Los Angeles 5:25 p. m. It will leave Los Angeles 6:05 p. m., Santa Barbara 9:25 p. m., San Jose 7:25 a. m. and arrive San Francisco 9:45 a. m.

The new Sunset Limited will be placed on ehibition in Mexia Saturday, the 25th from 3:40 to 4:40 p. m. Appropriate ceremonies also will inaugurate the new trains arrival in Mexia.

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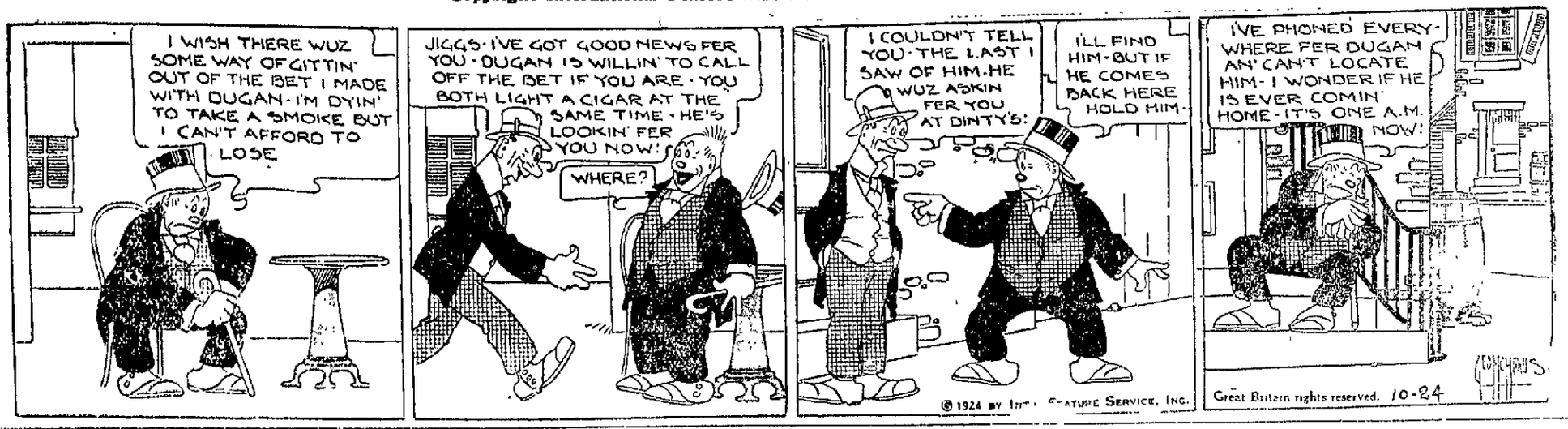
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All creditors consenting to said assignment must, within four months after the publication of this notice, make known to the assignee, their consent in writing, and within six months from the date of this notice file their claims, as prescribed by law, with the undersigned, who resides at Mexia, Texas, which is also his postoffice address.

Witness my hand this the 10th day of October, A. D. 1914.

W. R. STOREY, Trustee.

The Jellybean And Flapper Get Hard Knock

Mr. and Mrs. Tattler, Mr. and Mrs. Busybody, Mr. and Mrs. Nagger and old man knocked and his family were all out last night and heard the Rev. Joe Jeffers as he called them by their names and informed the large crowd just what they may expect from such people who are citizens of Mexia and possibly your neighbors. The alarm was sounded to the Christians of Mexia to arise to their duty and help clean the town and make it a greater and better place to live. You are either for or against and in your class, by your works you will be recognized and conuted as one of the above parties.

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This test on Hughes No. 1 will be one mile and 330 ft. North of the N. W. corner of a large block of University land upon which the E. L. Smith Oil Company, Inc. and the J. K. Hughes Developing Company have under lease. The Hughes-Smith interests intend to commence the drilling of a well some place in that locality within the next thirty or forty days, the exact location, however, has not been definitely made. Both of these tests of importance and will doubtless decide the trend of the field.

COUNTRY CLUB.

The $50,000 Country Club is about completed. Contractor Lawrence Ingram stated to the News that he would turn over the building all completed within a few days. Quite a number of new homes have been started in East Mexia in the past week.

Oscar Robinson is erecting a new home on East Commerce street, and Dr. R. B. Jackson is remodeling his home on the same street.

The lumber yards all report good business, with hammers ringing in all directions and good prospects for a big building campaign for the coming winter.

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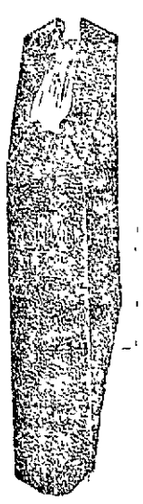

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OIL LETTER

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than 3,500 feet.

The Pure Oil Company of Mexia and Columbus, Ohio, has even more acreage than the Sinclair, sitting tight with more than 8,000 closed up to date. Pure has no drilling contract, so far as known, but it is understood in inner oil circles in Mexia that the Pure is preparing soon to begin drilling somewhere on its tract.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company, with better than 12,000 acres, is sitting tight and mulling along without making any signs of drilling, waiting for some lease adjustments to be made. Magnolia is in southwest Milam, in a half dozen or more surveys, prominent among them being the J. H. Smith and Jas. Stephens.

The Roxana Company, the Sun Company, Gulf Production, The Humble oil and Refining Company, The big Texas Company, Ryan Consolidated, all have taken acreage, the Texas having also bought several thousand acres in northwestern Lee county.

Another very interesting feature of the situation which has been developed most unostentatiously, is the fact tha the National Refining Co. (of headquarters Cleveland, Ohio., and known as the Standard of Indiana) is evidently preparing to drill a deep test on its block of more than 10,000 acres in western and northwestern Milam county, in the Sharp section, and in the Crowen and the Juan Jose Acosta surveys. National Refining has a pretty block, too, this having been put through by Fred C. Nelson of St. Paul.

Several months ago the National Refining Company drilled three shallow test hopes in search of the Austin chalk, which was definitely isolated, as it may be termed, and was drilled into more than 150 feet, cored and analyzed by its geological and chemical departments. One of the shallow holes was begun with setting 15-inch casing, has been capped and locked up and this hope will doubtless be used for putting down the deep test.

The National's search will be for the Edwards lime horizon, which is unknown in this territory, as no test deep enough to find it, has ever been put down.

Of great interest now to oil scouts and lease buyers, is the deep test being put down on a block of 6,800 acres in the W. W. Hill, Jas. Prewitt, E. Sante and David Houston grants. The location was made about six miles southeast of Rockdale, on the J. F. Hollifield farm, and No. 1—is now drilling at around 1,000 feet. The financial combination is known as Brunton-Tallis, both men being citizens of Los Angeles, California, and the well is being financed by California money, in the principal part.

Roxana, Sun, Gulf and Texas, and Ryan Consolidated have secured considerable acreage close to this wildcat, and have paid rather fancy prices for some of it, too. The Sun has paid as high as ten dollars and the Roxana as high as $12.50 an acre. The big companies mentioned in the preceding paragraphs, had a sizable allotment for Milam county, His allotment would have been regarded as a comfortable little fortune by some poor fellows, but he soon found it absorbed in the scramble for likely territory along the Luling-Mexia Fault zone. So, the other day, this big company buyer bought $140 worth of maps from an abstract company, and a large share of those maps are now on the big water going to London. Accompanying the maps is a report and a request for a very heavier buying allotment for Milam county. The curious reader will have to figure out for himself which of the majors it is.

And it is whispered in the select, inner oil circles around the Auditorium hotel that if the allotment is made as asked, there will be "something doing" in Milam county lease markets, sure enough.

Another block for drilling a deep test has about been closed up by C. F. Drake, former secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, who resigned several months ago to enter the oil game for himself. This block lies south of and west of the Magnolia block, adjoining Magnolia, and is in direct line of the trend of the Luling-Mexia fault. A drilling contract on this block is now in negotiation.

F. D. Tuttle's deep test at 3,200 feet, six miles north of Milano, in the Robertson survey, is making slow progress. Mr Tuttle has been in the east attending to some financial matters. He states that the well will ultimately be sunk to 1,500 feet, if necessary.

Several nice little shallow producers have lately been brought in, some of them in territory which had not been regarded as very favorable by operators. The latest shallow producer is the F. A. Burkett et al No. 1-Coulter, 1 1-8 miles north of Rockdale. The well is having mechanical trouble and not yet determined as to production. It yielded 16 barrels the first day's pumping, but seems to have sanded since then.

Are you one of those who spends your earnings in another city or town? Don't you think it would be a pretty god idea to spend it with your home town people, the people who support your churches, schools, city government? Think it over!

Geo. W. Dupree, an attorney from Hillsboro was in Mexia Thursday on business.

SPORTLIGHTS

AUSTIN—Two practice periods were ordered by Coach Van Fleet for his Florida Alligators here today after their 2,000-mile trip for the intersectional clash with the Texas Longhorns Saturday. The Floridans arrived here last night. Tapering off practice was scheduled for the Longhorns today.

DALLAS—The Texas Aggies were expected to reach here today for their Saturday's game with Southern Methodist University as the closing feature of the Texas State Fair.

FORT WORTH—Light practice was orded by Coach Bell for the Horned Frogs here today in preparation for the Rice Institute invasion Saturday.

BAYLOR—Baylor U. meets Austin College here Saturday in an out-of-conference game.

HOUSTON — Headed by Coach Heisman, 22, Rice Institute gridders left Houston last night for Fort Worth where they meet T. C. U. Saturday. McVey, star tackle, ill with measles, was the only varsity player missing.

San Antonio—Contracts let for widening and straightening Bonham street, improvement of Jefferson street, construction of Alamo ditch storm sewer and Peach street storm sewer.

Cooper—Texas Power & Light Company purchases local light plant; to extend lines from Paris to Cooper and other towns in Delta county.

Mr. Oil Man

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SHENANDOAH WAVES GOOD-BYE TO TEXAS

ONE MAN LOSES LIFE IN TWO MILLION DOLLAR FIRE

MICHIGAN BLAZE DESTROYS ORE AND COAL DOCKS

(By United Press)

ESCANABA, Mich., Oct. 24.—Fire destroyed the Reiss Coal Company docks and two ore docks of the Chicago Northwestern railroad along the lake front here early this morning. The damage is estimated at $2,000,000. One man lost his life in the flames. The fire was under control at 2 o'clock this morning with official investigation to learn the origin.

BANDITS ARRESTED FOR ATTEMPT TO KILL KEMEAL

(By United Press)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 24.—Six armed bandits were arrested here charged with participation in the reported attempt to assassinate Mustapa Kemeal, the Turkish national leader.

SECRET CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS INVESTIGATION STARTED TODAY

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24. — A searching inquiry into alleged "concealed contributions" by big business men to protect campaign funds was begun today by the senate committee sifting Senator La Follette's "slush fund" charges.

To that end the committee was requested by Frank P. Walsh, counsel for La Follette, to summon more than a score of men prominent in business and politics. Chairman Borah indicated he would grant the request.

Walsh said today he "hoped" to be able to prove his contention that millions of dollars, not accounted for by campaign committees, are being poured into doubtful states on behalf of President Coolidge.

Borah and other members of the committee were impressed by the statement of Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, prosecutor in the Teapot Dome oil investigation that he had heard rumors of $100.000 being sent into his state to defeat him for re-election.

Chairman Butler of the Republican National Committee and Treasurer Hodges will probably be recalled by the committee at the request of Walsh.

W. W. Atterbury of Philadelphia vice president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, is expected to appear today for questioning.

R. B. Mellon, brother of Secretary Mellon and W. L. Mellon, in charge of collecting republican funds in the Pittsburgh district, are on the list of big business men. Walsh has asked subpoenaed.

Football Squad Minus Quarterback

(By United Press)

—ANN HARBOR, Mich., Oct. 24.—The University of Wisconsin football squad arrived here today for their game with the Michigan gridders minus their regular quarterback, Herbert Opitz.

Before the departure of the team from Madison, Wis. yesterday (Thursday) Opitz grasped a knife switch while making an experiment in the laboratory, and the 700 volts of electricity that passed through his body left him in a critical condition.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE M. E. CHURCH TONIGHT

The quarterly conference of the First Methodist church will be held at the church tonight, and all interested are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Phillips have returned from a few days spent at Toni's old home in Montgomery, La. They also visited in Shreveport.

THE WEATHER.

Texas—Clear and warmer.

Income Tax Figures Published On Own Responsibility

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Pending a full decision as to whether it is legal to publish income figures, the Department of Justice warned publishers that they print such data on their own responsibility. The statement issued by the Department is intended to clear up the confusion resultant from the passage of the "public inspection" provision of the tax law last May.

GERMAN NATIONALIST LEADER RESIGNED

(By United Press)

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—Herr Hergt has resigned the leadership of German nationalists. The democratic press interprets the action as a victory for reactionary elements.

JAPAN SENDS TROOPS TO CHINA

(By United Press)

OSAKA, Japan, Oct. 24.—The Japanese Cabinet decided today to send a battalion from Port Arthur to the north of China to protect Japanese residents, owing to the changed situation caused by the entry of Feng Yuh Hsiang into Pekin. Warships also are to be sent.

Leaders of China Have Declared War Must End

(By United Press)

PEKIN, Oct. 24.—The "greatest crime in modern times was the intrigue that caused the present war in northern China," Marshal Feng Yuh Hsiang, famed Christian General, whose 10,000 fighting men—the best in China—hold the capital today, said in an interview with the United Press after his coup d'etat.

"Leaders of China have decided war must end for all time. That's why we have acted and seized the city.

"China has been made a shell which all men must now try to piece together and support. I believe public opinion will back us up in this.

"It was criminal of Wu Pei Fu to send half clad, half starved soldiers in no condition for warfare to fight against the Manchurians."

Fishermen Return Thursday Night

A fishing party composed of C. T. Stephens, M. L. McDonald, B. S. Smith and Marcus Corley, returned from a fe wdays outing on the Trinity river.

They caught lots of fish but some of them got away when they staked them out and the hogs ate them.

Dr. Butte's Speaking Dates

Dr. George C. Butte, republican candidate for governor, will speak at Hillsboro Saturday, November 1, at 2:30 p. m.

He will speak at Corsicana Monday, November 3, hour not yet announced.

TIRED OF LIFE SHE COMMITS SUICIDE

(By United Press)

HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 24.—Despondent because of ill health, Miss Lydia Frels, 21, committed suicide by shooting herself in the breast with a shotgun at her home near Houston late Thursday. She had been a cripple for 12 years.

SECRETARY WALLACE IN DANGEROUS CONDITION

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace is in a serious condition at the Navy Hospital with toxemia, resulting from an intestinal infection following an operation for the removal of his appendix ten days ago, Dr. Jeol T. Boone, White House physician, said this morning.

PLANS MATURING FOR BIG AUTO CARAVAN TUESDAY

Under the enthusiastic work of Jere Cason of the Chamber of Commerce and Tommie Haines of the Retail Merchants Association, plans for the big auto caravan which leaves at Eight o'clock Tuesday morning are rapidly being whipped into shape. Everybody is urged to go. The trip will be a fine one and all are asked whether they have contributed to the merchandise shower or not. Many live merchants will carry their own special advertising and it is hoped that the Mexia High School will be represented by a fine delegation. Mr. Pucket now has this matter under advisement.

The Mexia Restaurants and Cafe's have come across nobly as the following list will show. These enterprising caterers promised Mr. Cason today to furnish a substantial meal to out of town folks at a price of 25 cents per person. This will not interfere with their regular menu at their regular prices for those who wish a more elaborate meal. Topic Cafe, Jimmies Cafe, Jay's Cafe, H. & T. C. Lunch Room, Knoff Cafe's, Mack's Hamburger Stand.

About Publishing Income Returns

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 24.—Arnold Sellmich, collector of internal revenue St. Louis district, refused to permit the publication by newspapers of income tax returns thrown open to the public under the 124 revenue act.

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 24.—Refusal to allow the publication of tax returns without the consent of the person rendering same, was made by the collector of internal revenues office here.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Oct. 24.—Attorney General Harlan Stone told the United Press that he is not sure as to the legality of publishing tax returns. "I will pass upon the legality soon as my department can give me the legal phases of the matter," Stone said.

FIRE INSPECTOR SAYS HE FOUND CONDITIONS IN MEXIA GOOD

Mr. Eichelberger, State fire inspector from Austin, stated to the Mexia Daily News Friday morning that after a very careful examination he found, with a very few exceptions, the fire hazard in the city of Mexia in excellent condition. This is an evident fact that your Fire Marshall, C. L. Pittman, and other officials are very efficient and I wish to state to the public the State Fire Commission will be glad to render any service possible on request. He also stated that he noticed Mexia had observed Fire Prevention Week and he was in hopes the city would keep it up the other fifty-one weeks in the year. This city was in better condition than any place he had examined in the past six months.

ONTARIO DECIDES TO REMAIN IN DRY COLUMN

(By United Press)

ATTAWA, Ont., Oct. 24.—The Province of Ontario remains dry by a majority expected to reach 40,000 when returns from all outlying rural districts are tabulated.

At an early hour today, the vote stood:

For continuance of the temperance act—491,200.

For sale of liquor under government control 450,000.

The cities especially Ottawa, voted heavily to substitute government control for prohibition, but the rural district upset this majority and turned the tide to the drys.

Local sportsmen are preparing for the coming duck season and in fact some of them are already getting a few of the early immigrants of the feathered tribe who venture to light on some of the small ponds around here.

The Daily News' Oil Letter

By C. F. DRAKE.

ROCKDALE, Texas, Oct. 25.—Prospects for deep oil development in Milam county and in Lee and Robertson also, were never before so bright and favorable, and so uncertain.

The big companies are in Milam county strong, playing it up and down the supposed trend of the Luling-Mexia fault line, which paraliels the Balconnes Great Fault—the latter being just 35 miles west of Rockdale, and the Luling Mexia Fault running through Milam county and right through proper, that is to say, if Alexander Doussen, eminent geologist is regarded as any authority. For in his latest bulletin, "Professional Paper 126" issued from the U. S. Government printing office under authority of the Department of the Interior and under supervision and approval of the United States Geological Survey, Dr. Deussen makes this specific statement: Page 124 of Bulletin, first column, second paragraph:

"A system of minor faults extends from Somerset, Bexar county northeastward through Luling, Rockdale, Bremond, Groesbeck, and Mexia to Powell in Navarro county. The system is marked by upthrow on the east side, thus differing from the system of major faults on the west, which has down throw on the east. The system here described may be called the Luling-Mexia-Fault system. It marks the eastern limit of the Balconnes Fault Zone, cutting at the surface the Midway, and in places the Indio and Carrizo formation."

It has been pointed out to me by other geologists and practical oil operators, how significant Dr. Deussen's words are in the last sentence above, wherein he says directly that the Luling-Mexia faulting marks the eastern limit of the Balconnes Fault zone.

From feverishly facts in my possession it is known that the major companies now rather seeking acreage in Milam county, were stirred to action (partly at least) by this positive declaration of Dr. Deussen's in regard to the probability of finding oil in Milam county—a situation which has long been neglected by the major companies—and even more or less "talked down" by some few of them. But every dog has his day, and Milam county's day has come at last, apparently. At least, the takings of more than 50,000 acres and a two-well drilling contract by the Sinclair Oil and Gas Company would seem to indicate something of the sort.

The Sinclair Oil and Gas Company spudded in early last week with No. 1 H. F. Smith-Turney, J. K. McLennan survey, and are now drilling at around 500 feet. The Sinclair development is situated in a sandy piece of post-oak timber, 300 feet north and 300 feet west of the northwest corner of the R. N. Turney 162-acre lease, the land belonging to H. F. Smith, Jr. Sinclair has a block of between 6,000 and 8,000 acres and is practically tight against intrusion by leasers, about the nearest approach a lease-hound can get to the drilling well for a piece of acreage is more than a mile. A. F. Haynes for the Sinclair Company manipulated the deal for acreage, having begun work on it last June. The contract calls for two wells in certain circumstances to be sunk to a depth of not less

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METHODISTS SAY PROHIBITION IS BIG ISSUE IN AMERICA

(By United Press)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 24—Old fashioned Methodists amens prevailed all over the hall here last night as the two-day session of the Methodist men's conventoin was concluded.

William H. Upshaw, representative from Georgia, one of last night's speakers declared that "America's mightiest task is not economic, industrial nor political. It is the proof our prohibition law was not a mistake in its concept and a failure in its enforcement."

J. I. Riddle And Tom Nolan to Play Off Match Friday

The third golf tournament at the Mexia Country Club has been underway all this week, for the Patterson cup trophy. Out of the large number of starters last Monday all have been eliminated with the exception of J. I. Riddle and Tom Nolan, who will play off the match Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Vincent Gantz, the present holder of the cup was eliminated in the early part of the tournament and a great deal of interest is being aroused among the local golfers as to the outcome of the final match.

Texas U. Faculty At Teachers Assn.

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 24.—Several members of the faculty of the University of Texas will have a part on the program of the Texas State Teachers' Association, which will meet in San Antonio, November 27.

In the classical section, Miss Nina Lee Weisinger, adjunct professor of Spanish, will speak on A Practical Demonstration of the Use of Latin and teaching Spanish. In the high school principals and supervisors section, Dr. J. L. Henderson, will speak on The Junior High School in other States, and L. H. Hubbard dean of students, will have for his subject The High School Curricula of Tomorrow. W. P. Webb Adjunct professor of history, will talk on Opportunities for Research in Local History in Texas.

Addressing the home economics section will be Miss Mary Edna Gearing, head of the department of home economics of the University, and Miss Jeannie Pinckney, of the nutrition and health division of the Bureau of Extension.

Professor J. W. Calhoun will lecture to the mathematics section on The Beauties of Geometry. Professor E. R. Sims will speak before the modern language section on Uniform Modern Language College Entrance Requirements and the Amount Prescribed for the Bachelor of Arts Degree. In the section devoted to the parent-teacher associations, Dr. A. Caswell Ellis, professor of education at the University, will discuss The Problem of Financing the Schools of Texas.

YOU CAN NOW SEE WHAT OTHER FELLOW PAID

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Complying with a provision of the new tax law, collectors of internal revenue throughout the country have posted lists of income taxes paid this year in their offices where they are open to public inspection.

PROMINENT EDITOR DIES IN CHICAGO

(By United Press)

LEE'S SUMMIT, Mo., Oct. 24.—John E. Wright, 64, many years managing editor of the Chicago Evening Post and later of the St. Louis Times died at his home here last night.

Railroad Merger Case To Be Taken Under Advisement Next Week

(By United Press)

EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 24.—A petition for a permanent injunction against the proposed merger of the El Paso & Southwestern system and the Southern Pacific lines was on file in the United States District court here today.

The appeal was made by George H. Park and James F. Kilcrease as individuals, asking that the merger plans be set aside pending litigation. The petition charged the Southern Pacific lines was seeking a "monoply" of transportation and that the proposed merger would be a violation of the Clayton anti-trust act. The case will probably be taken under advisement next week, it was indicated.

GREENVILLE HAS 300,000 BLAZE

(By United Press)

GREENVILLE, Texas, Oct. 24.—Loss estimated at $300,000 resulted when fire swept through the Greenville Cotton Oil Mill.

Three seed houses containing 5,000 tons of seed and an adjacent rooming house were destroyed, by the blaze, which for a time threatened the industrial section of the city.

Capers Children's Condition Improved

The two small children, Gordon age 7, and Marita age 4, who were seriously burned in the gas explosion at their home north of Wortham Tuesday morning are reported to be much improved over their condition yesterday. The small boy, who was more seriously injured than the baby girl, shows encouragement and has a chance for recovery. The girl is expected to get well, although being badly burned.

The remains of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Capers were sent to Gorman, Texas, Thursday night and will be buried there Friday afternoon. The large number of relatives who arrived here from all sections of the state have gone to Gorman with the bodies. Several of them will return here to be with the children after the funeral takes place.

Missionary Meeting M. W. M. Society

With Mrs. Lewis conducting the study session, the Methodist Women's Missionary society met on Monday afternoon in its social study meeting at the home of Mrs. John Sweat, with 60 present.

With the general subject "The New Pentecost in Korea and Japan" Mrs. Lewis read and commented very beautifully on the parable of the Good Samaritan, pointing out the duty of the Church in foreign fields. The same theme was further developed in talks by Mrs. Peyton, Mrs. W. B. Andrews, and Mrs. W. K. Boyd, while Mrs. Landrum added a novel touch in presenting her Missionary Posters, urging every member to regular attendance and prayer study.

Mrs. Oscar Denning rendered a delightful piano solo, and Mrs. W. P. Boling sang.

Following a business discussion, a salad course was served.

Mrs. Sweat was assisted as hostess by Mrs. R. A. Parker, Mrs. W. K. Boyd, Mrs. A. M. Stevens.

Get Ready

The stage is all set for the big drive Tuesday, Oct. 28th. Every merchant in Mexia should have at least one car in the drive.

The Mexia Daily News will have hundreds of copies of Monday's issue of the News distributed on the tour. In order to get your advertising in this issue you must get your copy in Saturday. To make Nov. 8th. a big day, each merchant should advertise their own line and have specials for this day.

JOHN I. McELROY,
Pres. Retail Merchants Assn.

BIG SHIP STARTS HOMEWARD TRIP FROM FORT WORTH

(By United Press)

FORT WORTH, Texas, Oct. 24.—The Shenandoah slipped away from her mooring mast at the U. S. helium plant here at 10:40 o'clock this morning, headed for Lakehurst, N. J., where she is expected to arrive late Saturday afternoon.

Promising weather reports brought a change of course at flying time. The ship swung over Dallas, circled the State Fair Grounds and then headed north toward Little Rock.

Other points along the proposed course are Dayton and Columbus, Ohio, and thence eastward to Lakehurst.

The Shenandoah shipped 200,000 cubic feet of helium and refueled during the eight hour stay here, having moored at 2:25 o'clock last night.

FOUR MURDERERS HANGED TODAY IN MONTREAL CANADA

(By United Press)

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 24.—Four men were hanged at day-break for the murder of a pay car chauffeur during a hold-up.

Tony Frank, erstwhile "king of the underworld", Louis Morel, Giuseppe Serafini and Frank Gimbino were executed practically simultaneously at Bordeaux jail—despite every effort of their friends and attorneys to save their lives.

The men who were hanged today were four of a gang of eight who planned and carried out the hold up of a pay car at Hochelaga on April 1 in which Henri Clerouex, the chauffeur of the car was killed.

Morel and Gambino were hanged together, first, and the execution of Frank and Serafini followed five minutes later.

Morel died gamely as had been expected. Gambino, who was only a hired gunman, whimpered slightly, but braced himself at the end as the noose was adjusted and kissed a crucifix.

Tony Frank seemed in a daze as his turn came and he and Serafini were hanged.

The morning was hazy and day had scarcely dawned when the executions were effected. Electric lights cast a ghastly glare upon the gallows.

Scores of police guarded the jail inside and out, throughout the night to prevent a possible attempt at delivery.

Motorcycle policemen rode around the jail and the jail yard while armed guards marked off a line around Bordeaux walls past which no one was permitted after 11:30 last night.

One policeman suffered a heart attack just before the hangings, crying:

"I can't stand this."

To Bar Preachers Marrying Divorced People In Future

(By United Press)

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—A resolution having for its ultimate aim the placing of restrictions on Lutheran ministers from remarrying divorced couples was presented Thursday at the convention of the church here.

The resolution asks the convention to instruct the commission on adjudication to make a study of the whole question of the remarriage of divorced couples and the duties of pastors in such cases and report at the 1925 convention.

Two fold action is desired on the question. The synod seeks to have the convention lay down a statement of definite causes for divorce and secondly, to have the convention commit itself on a pastor's duties when a divorced person asks to be remarried.

S. M. U. Versus Texas A. & M. Dallas Tomorrow

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 24.—While the result of the Texas University game has not yet been forgotten by the student body and other followers of the Mustangs, the players realize that they have a much harder game before them when they tackle the powerful and versatile squad from College Station in Dallas Saturday. Monday evening the conference champs had only a light workout, loosening up stiff muscles and getting rid of the sore places acquired in the game Saturday.

With the exception of Turner, every man on the Mustang squad will be in perfect condition for the game with the Aggies unless some of them are hurt in practice this week. But it is not likely that anyone will be injured this week. But it is not likely that anyone will be injured under the system of coaching used by Morrison and Freeland. Although there were a few injuries before the Texas game, most of the men were in good condition for the battle.

"Aggies Next," that is the [illegible] that is prevalent on the campus of Southern Methodists University, and it started early Monday morning, the Texas game is now past. Admitted by a great majority of the sport writers to have the best team by far in the conference, the Texas Aggies are coming to Dallas to get revenge for the past two years in which the Mustangs have handed them two straight defeats. And the one that hurt most was the one that started them down the hill to almost the bottom of the conference when they handed them a defeat on the traditional Kyle Field.

In 1920 the Mustangs were doped to lose by at least two or three touchdowns, and just as one of the Dallas sport writers recently stated, they never run true to the dope. This year the Mustangs are again doped to lose as the Aggies are stronger than they were last season and the Mustangs are notably weaker.

Watters, first year man seems to have stopped up the right side of the line successfully at tackle in the game with the Longhorns Saturday, but whether or not he can stop the powerful off tackle plays of the Aggies will not be known until after the game. Goldberg and Parks both played in the game and showed up well.

This game with the Aggies has much bearing on the outcome of the conference race, and the winner will probably be the favorite to finish at the top of the ladder in the conference race. It will be the hardest fight yet between these two teams with A. & M. favorites.

E. L. Smith, president of the E. E. Smith Oil Company, Blake Smith vice president and W. T. Church, attorney, left this morning to attend the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association that is to be held in Dallas.

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By DAISY MAYS.

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WIP, 6:00 Uncle Wip.
KFO, 6:00 to 7:30 Concert orchestra.
WCX, 6:00 Musical program.
WDAF, 6:00 to 7:00 School of the Air.
WFI, 6:00 Sunny Jim, the kiddies' pal.
WCAE, 6:30 Uncle Kaybee.
WOO, 6:20 Orchestra.
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30 Seiger's orchestra.
WDAR, 6:30 Dream Daddy's bedtime stories.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WCAE, 7:00 Special feature.
WOC, 7:00 Sandman's visit.
WDAR, 7:00 "Turning the Pages."
KYW, 7:00 to 7:30 Coon-Sanders' Original Nighthawks.
WBAV, 7:00 Baritone; 'cello quartet.
WMB, 7:00 to 8:00 Weekly talk; Sweeney Radio trio.
WDAR, 7:10 Green Hills Farm trio; Radio play.
WOC, 7:20 Address.
WCAE, 7:15 Special feature.
WWJ, 7:30 Detroit News orchestra with soloist.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30 Concert, quartet.
WCAE, 7:30 Harmony Boys orchestra.
WHAS, 7:30 to 9:00 Concert.
WOO, 7:30 Intimate concert from Fox theater.
KFI, 7:30 to 8:00 Examiner news bulletin.
KYW, 7:30 to 8:00 Music Publishing company.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

KHJ, 8:00 to 8:30 Hickman's orchestra.
WSB, 8:00 to 9:00 Minstrel.
WOC, 8:00 Old-time music.
KSD, 8:00 Address.
WLW, 8:00 Address, John W. Davis.
WDAF, 8:00 to 9:30 Popular program.
WMC, 8:30 Britling's orchestra.
KFI, 8:45 to 10:00 Organ recital.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

WOAW, 9:00 Program.
WOO, 9:03 Organ recital.
WDAR, 9:05 Dance orchestra; songs.
WOO, 9:30 Dance orchestra.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45 Organ recital.
KYW, 9:30 to 12:30 Midnight revue.
KFSG, 9:30 to 11:15 Crusaders Rally; silver band.

10:00 to 11:00 p. m.

KHJ, 10:00 to 12:00 Program.
KGW, 10:00 Popular lecture.
KFI, 10:00 to 11:00 Evening Herald concert.
WSB, 10:15 Quartet.

11:00 p. m. to 12:00.

WMC, 11:00 Midnight frolic.
KFI, 11:30 to 12:00 Examiner concert.
KFSG, 11:15 to 12:00 Silver band.
WDAF, 11:15 Nighthawk frolic.

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Don't fail to attend this meeting.
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FORMER MEXIA MAN APPREHENDED AT YAKIMA, WASH.

Chief of Police, Albert Mace returned from Austin Thursday night with requisition papers for the return of R. H. Broadstreet, who has been located at Yakima, Wash., to this state.

M. P. Willis will leave on the night train Friday for Yakima to return Broadstreet to this place to face charges of removing mortgaged property from the state, and other charges.

Broadstreet was a barber employed in a local shop up until January of this year.

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Are you one of those who spends your earnings in another city or town? Don't you think it would be a pretty god idea to spend it with your home town people, the people who support your churches, schools, who support your churches, schools, city government? Think it over!

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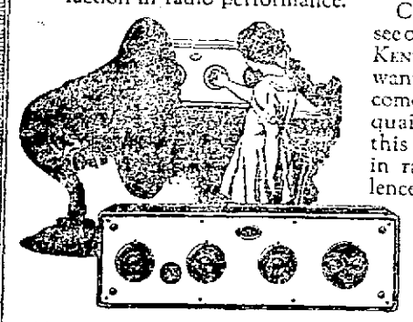

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OIL NEWS

The Mexia Balconnes fault in the past two weeks has been very active along this structure. The Carter-Lytle brought in a big gasser making 20 million cubic feet of gas in the north end of the field, about six miles from Mexia just south of Wortham. The big companies are buying all loose acreage in that vicinity. The Boyd Oil Company is drilling just west of this big gasser on the Boyd lease. The Humble, J. K. Hughes Developing Company and the E. L. Smith Oil Company, all owning acreage close around this gasser will probably sink wells in the near future.

Snowden-McSweeney brought in a big gusher making 4000 barrels of high grade oil about 15 miles north of Mexia on the Longbotham lease, an offset to the J. K. Hughes Developing Company's Morrow. With a number of wells drilling in the Richland field and wildcatting in all directions the oil activities are taking on an aspect like the early boom days of 1920 and 1921 along this structure, with many operators turning their eyes to the north end and south end of the Mexia field.

T. Frank Smith, manager of the Bain Oil Co., brought in a big gasser at a deep depth in the south end of the Mexia field, about twelve miles from Mexia, just west of Groesbeck. Mr. Smith has always had faith in the south end of the Mexia field as he brought in numbers of gas wells at a shallow depth in this territory, ten years ago, for the Mexia Oil & Gas Co. and he feels sure that he will strike oil around this vicinity in large paying quantities. The oil fraternity would not be surprised to see derricks strung from Powell on the north to Kosse on the south, a distance of forty miles within the next year.

Col. Humphreys who brought in the Mexia field has been in Limestone county for the past week keeping in close touch with all the activities along the Mexia Balconnes fault and watching the test of the Boyd Oil Company on the Boyd tract just north of Mexia.

The U. S. Petroleum Institute have selected Ft. Worth for the 1924 annual meeting of the American Petroleum Institute, by the directors of the organization in New York Monday night. The institution will be held December 9-10 and 11. This Institute draws an attendance of about 3000 prominent oil men, some of the biggest men in the oil industry in America. This is the first time that this institution has ever met south or west of St. Louis.

The outlook for an immediate advance in crude oil is looked forward to at an early date by all the independent operators. The only fear among the operators is that lots of wildcatting and oil wells will be brought in that will have some effect on the upward trend, which is bound to come with each week showing a decrease in production.

J. K. Hughes, president of the J. K. Hughes Developing Company who has been in New York city for the past month, returned to his home Tuesday of this week where the main office of his oil company is located.

Zay Gardner-Speight now drilling around 3457 feet. The operators think they will know the outcome of the well in a short time as they expect to find the pay sand around 3520 to 3530. L. W. Capps who is superintending the work stated that Mr. Gardner would arrive from St. Louis on the noon train Saturday. This well entered the chalk higer than the Speight No. 1, and came out of the chalk at a higher depth which makes it look very favorable as a good showing of oil was found in the Speight No. 1. In the past two weeks the geologist department from several big companies have been working out this structure.

The Oklahoma School lands are commanding a big price from the operators, who bid in excess of $500,000 for drilling rights on two tracts situated in Kay county Oklahoma. The contracts will be awarded Tuesday October 29th.

Julius H. Fohs, of New York city was in the city last night. Mr. Fohs was formerly associated with the Humphreys Company and worked out the structure in the Mexia Field. He is recognized as one of the foremost geologist of the country.

C. E. Boberg with the J. K. Hughes Developing Co. spent the past week in South Texas on B. B. Simmonds Ranch, Mr. Simmonds is vice president of the J. K. Hughes Developing Co.

R. L. Wheelock, official of the E. L. Smith Oil Company with headquarters at Corsicana, left today to attend the Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association which meets in Dallas.

The Pure Oil Company is drilling a well on the Wedbster tract in the south end of the Mexia field just west of roesbeck. The well is now around twelve hundred feet.

Arbitration That Will Arbitrate

(By United Press)

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 24.—A unique method of arbitration, with the settlement of the long waged battle between the city of San Antonio and the local gas company as its goal, is proposed by the Grubstake Investment company of near Three Rivers.

The investment company proposes that nine men be selected to act as a jury by a district or county judge. Each side would strike out three names, leaving three to act. Each contestant would state his own case in person.

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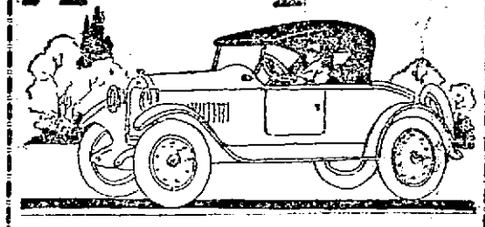

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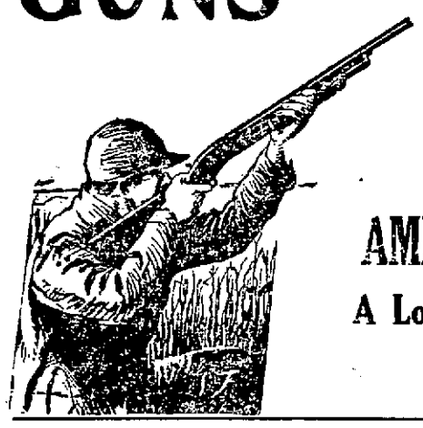

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THE G. O. P. CLAIM AGENTS

The country is indebted to Jouett Shouse, an assistant secretary of the treasury in the Wilson administration, for a formula by which to weigh the absurd claims of "assured" electoral votes for Mr. Coolidge now being broadcast by Chairman Butler and his subalterns. In 1912, Mr. Shouse points out, Chairman Hillis on the very eve of the election was claiming for Mr. Taft 290 votes in the electoral college, or 24 more than enough to elect. Taft, it will be remembered, got eight; he was the worst defeated major party candidate in the history of the country.

Mr. Shouse sees other parallels that make the lesson of the Hillis boasts particularly profitable for study by Mr. Butler. He sees a remarkable similarity of the issues between the parties, a basic similarity in the position of the divided Republican party, and a fundamental similarity in the economic situation—good crops, affording Republicans phantom excuse to hope that the people will not vote for a change.

Says Mr. Shouse: "In 1912, as now, the Republican campaign managers filled the press with blatant claims. Taft had his Hillis as Coolidge has his Butler. . . Taft had his Ballinger as Coolidge has his Daugherty. He also has Denby and others who figured in the surrender to Doheny and Sinclair of public oil resources. Taft had his Roosevelt; Coolidge has his La Follette.'

"The issues are the same in 1924 as in 1912; the corruption is the same, except in degree; the record of the party is the same; the type of Democratic candidates to restore to the country clean, progressive and virile government is the same as in 1912. To say that the results at the polls November 4 will not be the same is to say that the American people are not the same as they were in 1912."

Finally, Mr. Shouse suggests that the proper formula is this: "Taft is to Coolidge as eight is to——."

That helps to clear the air.

The air is further cleared by the fact that defections from Republicanism in 1924 are not confined largely to a third candidate as they were in 1912, but are coming to the Democratic ranks in swelling volume.

Golf As Played In West Texas

(By United Press)

DEL RIO, Oct. 24.—Del Rio's fireboys had to "turn off" from fire drill one day recently and all because of the poor aim of some golfer.

At the height of the drill, while the hoses were playing streams of water in copious quantities on imaginary fires, a lowly golf ball was sucked through the hose and into one of the nozzles.

The ball, in good condition and "rarin" for another game, was removed and the fire fighting continued.

A NEW PRESIDENT.

(By United Press)

YOAKUM, Oct. 24.—With the resignation of Alvin Lange, because of ill health, O. R. Davis, vice president and manager of the Texas Wholesale Grocery company of Yoakum and Gonzales, has been named president of the South Texas Wholesale Grocers' Association. Lange was elected president of the association at the annual convention only a few months ago.

Lamesa—40-room hotel building rapidly nearing completion.

HEARNE WILDCAT IS SHOWING SOME OIL

HEARNE, Texas, Oct. 24.—The No. 1 Bland test on the Willerson lease showed oil while crew was going back in the hole after repairs to broken hose, the oil coming up through the drill stem. Bit is down 3050 feet with bottom of the hole at 4270 feet. It is not known at what depth the oil is coming from.

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½ pound flour
½ teaspoonful salt
½ cup seeded raisins
½ cup broken nut meats

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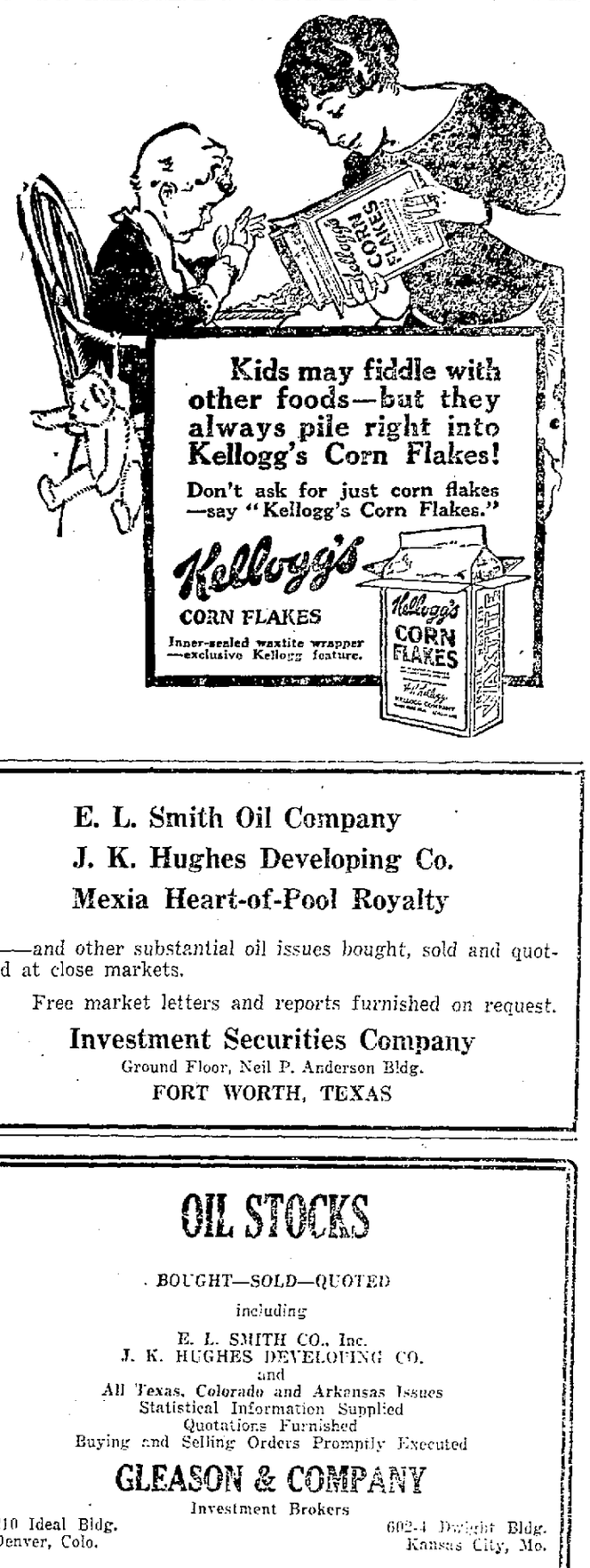

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(By United Press)

BROWNSVILLE, Oct. 24.—After twice swimming the Rio Grande to escape federal prohibition officers who were attempting to capture him for the illegal possession of liquor, Jose Ramos, surrenderd recently and came here for trial.

Ramos declared the charges against him appeared minor in comparison with being forced to live in Matamoros.

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Maggie Moore No. 9 In Luling District Good for 1750 Bbls.

LULING, Texas, Oct. 24.—The United North and South Oil Company's Maggie Moore No. 9 well in Caldwell county was completed for a production of 1750 barrels of clean oil, one of the best wells brought in in the entire field for some months. It is an offset to the Beaver Oil Company's Riverbed No. 2, which is being drilled in the bed of the San Marcos river between the United's Moore lease in Caldwell county and A. J. Baker lease in Guadalupe county.

The Beaver Company's No. 1 Riverbed is drilling in after setting casing at about 2090 feet and is sure to make a well. It is an offset to the North & South's Baker No. 22, recently completed for 1400 barrels. The North & South has also completed its No. 1 Trammell, which is the fartherest northeast producer in the Caldwell county field, and have moved the rig to the Branyon lease still farther northeast. The Trammel made a small well of about 200 barrels, but as it is clean oil it is considered a good indication of an extension of the field in that direction.

The No. 3 Field of the Beauchamp Petroleum Company between the Trammell and the main production area is about ready to spud in.

BOYD OIL CO.

The Boyd Oil Co. starting a derrick on the Simmonds 45 acre tract one mile south of Wortham, seven miles north of Mexia 3-4 of mile northwest of the Carter-Lytle which came in about 10 days ago making 20 million cubic feet of gas. Colonel Humphreys is in Mexia at the present time looking after the Boyd Oil Co. interests. This is a wonderful structure. All the big companies have leases in this territory.

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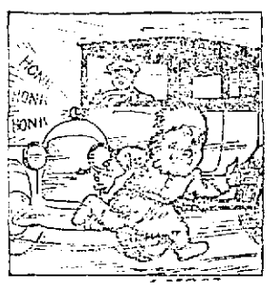

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The Courtroom Or The Kitchen?

THAT a woman may be equally at home in the kitchen and in the courtroom is demonstrated by Miss Helen P. McCormick, New York City attorney, who delights in working in her kitchen. Miss McCormick was the first woman in the world to be named County Assistant District Attorney, a position which she held in Brooklyn, N. Y. for five years. She is now engaged in private practice.

"Trying a new recipe has some of the same elements as trying a new case," said this charming woman lawyer. "In each there is the same planning necessary in assembling the materials, the same irrevocable completion of the job, for better or worse, and the same moments of suspense just before you know whether it is success or failure."

One of Miss McCormick's most successful recipes is Chicken with Mushroom Sauce, which she makes as follows:

One four pound chicken cut in pieces. Boil 1½ hours, season with salt and pepper and put in a piece of lemon and ½ cup of celery and a small onion cut up in small pieces.

Sauce:

2 tablespoonsful of Crisco
2 tablespoonsful of Flour
1 cup milk
1 cup juice of chicken

Cook to proper consistency, so that it pours. Boil 1 cupful of mushrooms for five minutes, slice,

mix with sauce and pour over chicken.

Note—Our readers may obtain free a new 128 page cook book by addressing the National Cooking Service, 565 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

Currie Well Good For 100 Bbls. Hour

Snowden-McSweeney's No. 11, Longbotham test was successfully completed a producer Tuesday in the Currie field.

The new well for the first five hours flow made 555 barrels oil. Later it increased to a little more than 100 barrels an hour, and is holding up to a lively production of about 80 barrels an hour today, according to scout reports. The well well is between Currie and Wortham, where much interest has been centered recently and a big play is expected.

McIntyre began bailing on his Richards well near Richland Tuesday night and work continues there today. Reports of good oil and gas indications have been made. Many of the scouts are at the well observing the progress and showing being made.

Building Activities In This City

Mexia is undergoing a general building program, all of which are handsome permanent private homes and substantial business enterprises.

A building permit has been issued to the Oilfield Lumber Company for a two-story, brick office building and two sheds each 20x115 feet. The sheds will be constructed on a steel frame with sheet iron walls and will be a great improvement to the looks of the block. The building will be erected on the block opposite the City Hall, on Main street facing north, which is now vacant. The Oilfield Lumber Company now have their office and yard on West Carthage street, across the railroad tracks. And upon entering their new home the company will make Mexia the head office for this section of the state, as they have many lumber yards in central Texas.

Mrs. A. L. Waller has under construction a five-room cottage on East Sumpter street.

Dr. Z. T. Goolsby has just completed the construction of a beautiful $15,000 home on Ross ave., which will be ready to occupy within a few days.

F. P. Huchingson, agent for the H. & T. C. Railroad here, is nearing completion of his handsome $18,000 home on Ross avenue and numerous others are preparing to build.

Oscar Robinson is building a new home for himself on East Commerce street.

The $500,000 Cotton Mill in the southern part of the city is progressing rapidly. Six of the twenty-five cottages have been completed, all of these homes will be well constructed four and five room cottages. It is estimated by the builders that the mill will be completed by the first of the year and ready to occupy. The walls of the mill are now going up very rapidly. It is stated by J. Perry Burrus, President of the Mexia Cotton Mill, who is now visiting the mill site watching the progress of construction, that about one hundred and twenty-five persons will be employed in the mill when completed.

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SPORTLIGHTS

By SCRIBBLES.

The Hubbard Hi Jackrabbits will engage the local Black Cats in battle royal this afternoon at Nowlin Park. This is the first game that these two teams have played against each other in three or four years. Mexia won the last game 6 to 3, the touchdown coming after a Hubbard punt had been blocked and an end swooped up the ball and ran about thirty yards for the score. The probable starting line-up that will be used by Coach Poteet will be:

Aulds and Hoelzel, ends.
Thompson and Corley, Tackles.
Ward and Murphy, Guards.
Bennett, center.
Clover, Quarter.
Karner and Perkinson, Halves.
Buford, Fullback.

Tickets for the Baylor-A. and M. game went on sale Wednesday and they are selling rapidly. The game will be played on the Cotton Palace gridiron Nov. 1st.

Information from Austin states that there will be no formal opening ceremonies of the Texas stadium at the Baylor-Texas game and that only the east side of the stadium will be used. That side will seat 13,500. Tickets are already on sale.

After holding Yale to a tie, Harvard is working hard for the Dartmouth game next Saturday. Their 190 pound backfield is expected to hold them much.

Zuppke has let down on the heavy scrimmage for the DePauw game as they are expecting to take it easily.

The State Orphan Home eleven defeated the Frost eleven at Corsicana Wednesday 22 to 0.

The student body of the Oklahoma A. and M. College met Wednesday night to decide whether or not to change the name of the athletic teams from "Aggies" to "Cowboys." The Aggies contend that if it is "cow" college they should be called "Cowboys."

Steger, it is reported, will play quarter for Michigan against Wisconsin, Saturday. Many other radical changes are being made according to rumors seeping from the secret camp.

THE LAST WORD IN PASSENGER TRAINS WILL ARRIVE IN MEXIA SATURDAY P. M.

An entirely new Sunset Limited, running between San Francisco and New Orleans, will arrive here Saturday at 3:40 p. m. operated by the Southern Pacific as the most modern trans-continental train in the country.

New equipment, of steel construction throughout, has been especially built for the Limited, with the view of providing every modern convenience for the comfort of travelers.

There will be a maid, barber and valet to serve travelers. Two cars of each train will be fitted with bath rooms, while other new features will make it truly a speeding hotel. The train will not carry tourist cars or coaches.

Running time and service of the Sunset Express also will be improved between San Francisco and New Orleans.

These two trains will greatly facilitate the handling of constantly increasing tourist and homeseeker travel to and from Pacific Coast States.

One hour and 15 minutes will be cut from the running time of the Sunset Limited from San Francisco to New Orleans. The time of the Sunset Express will be shortened by one hour and 35 minutes.

The most modern Southern Pacific dining cars, with seating capacity for 36 passengers, will be used on the Sunset Limited. These cars have ceiling fans, larger kitchen ranges and additional refrigerator space.

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Under the new schedule, the Sunset Limited will leave San Francisco at 6:15 p. m. instead of 5 p. m. as at present, leave Santa Barbara at 5:10 a. m. and arrive Los Angeles at 8:20 a. m. It will leave Los Angeles 9 a. m., El Paso 8:40 a. m. the next day, and arrive in New Orleans at 7:35 p. m. The present westbound schedule will be maintained.

The Sunset Express, which will handle the Washington-Sunset tourist sleeper to the National Capitol, now carried by Sunset Limited, will leave San Francisco 4:50 p. m. instead of 8:30 p. m., leave San Jose 6:10 p. m., Santa Barbara at 4:50 a. m. and arrive Los Angeles 8:10 a. m. instead of 12:10 p. m. as at present. It will leave Los Angeles 9:10 a. m., Tucson 5:00 a. m. and El Paso at 3:30 p. m.

On the westbound trip the Sunset Express will run through to San Francisco from Los Angeles, via the Coast Line. It will leave El Paso at 3:05 p. m. arriving Los Angeles 5:25 p. m. It will leave Los Angeles 6:05 p. m., Santa Barbara 9:25 p. m., San Jose 7:25 a. m. and arrive San Francisco 9:45 a. m.

The new Sunset Limited will be placed on ehibition in Mexia Saturday, the 25th from 3:40 to 4:40 p. m. Appropriate ceremonies also will inaugurate the new trains arrival in Mexia.

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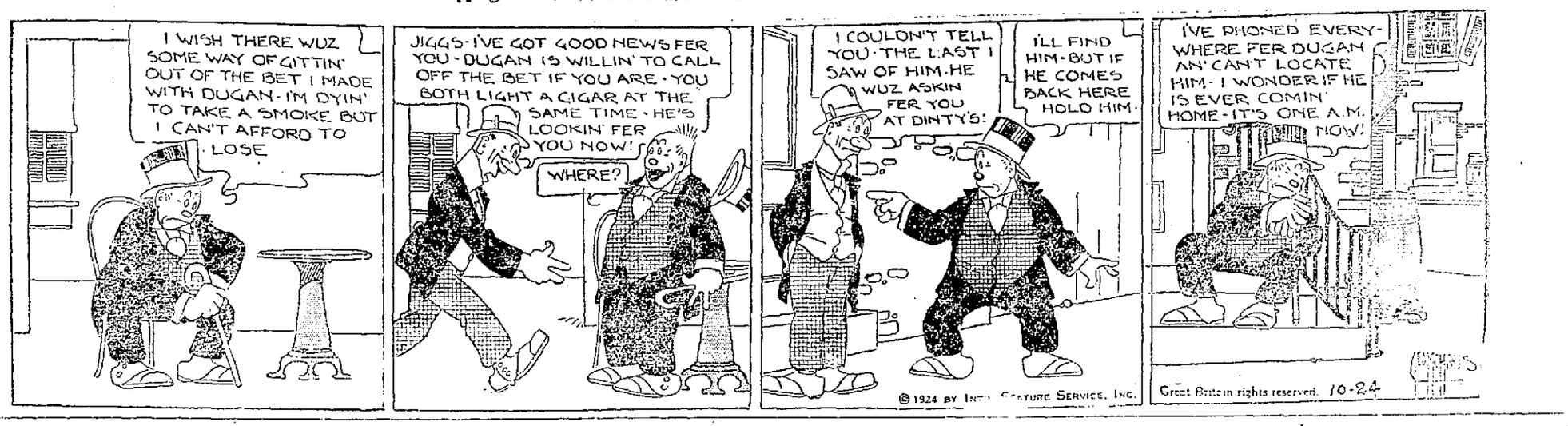
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All creditors consenting to said assignment must, within four months after the publication of this notice, make known to the assignee, their consent in writing, and within six months from the date of this notice file their claims, as prescribed by law, with the undersigned, who resides at Mexia, Texas, which is also his postoffice address.

Witness my hand this the 10th day of October, A. D. 1914.

W. R. STOREY, Trustee.

The Jellybean And Flapper Get Hard Knock

Mr. and Mrs. Tattler, Mr. and Mrs. Busybody, Mr. and Mrs. Nagger and old man knocked and his family were all out last night and heard the Rev. Joe Jeffers as he called them by their names and informed the large crowd just what they may expect from such people who are citizens of Mexia and possibly your neighbors. The alarm was sounded to the Christians of Mexia to arise to their duty and help clean the town and make it a greater and better place to live. You are either for or against and in your class, by your works you will be recognized and counted as one of the above parties.

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The Mid-Kansas Oil & Gas Company will drill a well in Reagan County territory generally considered to be the most promising that has yet been drilled in that locality.

The new well will be 330 ft. west and the same distance north of the S. E. corner of section 1225 on the McIntosh drilling block, on land owned in fee simple by Mason & Hughes of New York. Hughes No. 1, as the well will be called, is five miles N. E. of Big Lake No. 11, the banner producer in the field to date. The well will be on a direct line N. E. of the discovery Santa Rita and Big Lake No. 11.

This test on Hughes No. 1 will be one mile and 330 ft. North of the N. W. corner of a large block of University land upon which the E. L. Smith Oil Company, Inc. and the J. K. Hughes Developing Company have under lease. The Hughes-Smith interests intend to commence the drilling of a well some place in that locality within the next thirty or forty days, the exact location, however, has not been definitely made. Both of these tests of importance and will doubtless decide the trend of the field.

COUNTRY CLUB.

The $50,000 Country Club is about completed. Contractor Lawrence Ingram stated to the News that he would turn over the building all completed within a few days. Quite a number of new homes have been started in East Mexia in the past week.

Oscar Robinson is erecting a new home on East Commerce street and Dr. R. B. Jackson is remodeling his home on the same street.

The lumber yards all report good business, with hammers ringing in all directions and good prospects for a big building campaign for the coming winter.

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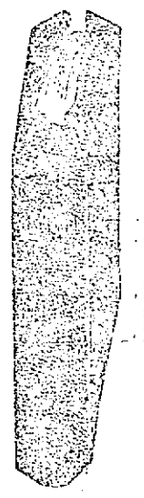

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OIL LETTER

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than 3,500 feet.

The Pure Oil Company of Mexia and Columbus, Ohio, has even more acreage than the Sinclair, sitting tight with more than 8,000 closed up to date. Pure has no drilling contract, so far as known, but it is understood in inner oil circles in Mexia that the Pure is preparing soon to begin drilling somewhere on its tract.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company, with better than 12,000 acres, is sitting tight and mulling along without making any signs of drilling, waiting for some lease adjustments to be made. Magnolia is in southwest Milam, in a half dozen or more surveys, prominent among them being the J. H. Smith and Jas. Stephens.

The Roxana Company, the Sun Company, Gulf Production, The Humble oil and Refining Company, The big Texas Company, Ryan Consolidated, all have taken acreage, the Texas having also bought several thousand acres in northwestern Lee county.

Another very interesting feature of the situation which has been developed most unostentatiously, is the fact tha the National Refining Co. (of headquarters Cleveland, Ohio., and known as the Standard of Indiana) is evidently preparing to drill a deep test on its block of more than 10,000 acres in western and northwestern Milam county, in the Sharp section, and in the Cronea and the Juan Jose Acosta surveys. National Refining has a pretty block, too, this having been put through by Fred C. Nelson of St. Paul.

Several months ago the National Refining Company drilled three shallow test holes in search of the Austin chalk, which was definitely isolated, as it may be termed, and was drilled into more than 150 feet, cored and analyzed by its geological and chemical departments. One of the shallow holes was begun with setting 15-inch casing, has been capped and locked up and this hope will doubtless be used for putting down the deep test.

The National's search will be for the Edwards line horizon, which is unknown in this territory, as no test deep enough to find it, has ever been put down.

Of great interest now to oil scouts and lease buyers, is the deep test being put down on a block of 6,800 acres in the W. W. Hill, Jas. Prewitt, E. Sante and David Houston grants. The location was made about six miles southeast of Rockdale, on the J. F. Hollifman farm, and No. 1—is now drilling at around 1,000 feet. The financial combination is known as Brunton-Fallis, both men being citizens of Los Angeles, California, and the well is being financed by California money, in the principal part.

Roxana, Sun, Gulf and Texas, and Ryan Consolidated have secured considerable acreage close to this wildcat, and have paid rather fancy prices for some of it, too. The Sun has paid as high as ten dollars and the Roxana as high as $12.50 an acre. The big companies mentioned in the preceding paragraphs, had a sizable allotment for Milam county, His allotment would have been regarded as a comfortable little fortune by some poor fellows, but he soon found it absorbed in the scramble for likely territory along the Luling-Mexia Fault zone. So, the other day, this big company buyer bought $140 worth of maps from an abstract company, and a large share of those maps are now on the big water going to London. Accompanying the maps is a report and a request for a very heavier buying allotment for Milam county. The curious reader will have to figure out for himself which of the majors it is.

And it is whispered in the select, inner oil circles around the Auditorium hotel that if the allotment is made as asked, there will be "something doing" in Milam county lease markets, sure enough.

Another block for drilling a deep test has about been closed up by C. F. Drake, former secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, who resigned several months ago to enter the oil game for himself. This block lies south of and west of the Magnolia block, adjoining Magnolia, and is in direct line of the trend of the Luling-Mexia fault. A drilling contract on this block is now in negotiation.

F. D. Tuttle's deep test at 3,200 feet, six miles north of Milano, in the Robertson survey, is making slow progress. Mr. Tuttle has been in the east attending to some financial matters. He states that the well will ultimately be sunk to 4,500 feet, if necessary.

Several nice little shallow producers have lately been brought in, some of them in territory which had not been regarded as very favorable by operators. The latest shallow producer is the F. A. Bartlett et al No. 1-Collier, 1 1-8 miles north of Rockdale. The well is having mechanical trouble and not yet determined as to production. It yielded 16 barrels the first day's pumping, but seems to have sanded since then.

Are you one of those who spends your earnings in another city or town? Don't you think it would be a pretty god idea to spend it with your home town people, the people who support your churches, schools, city government? Think it over!

Geo. W. Dupree, an attorney from Hillsboro was in Mexia Thursday on business.

SPORTLIGHTS

AUSTIN—Two practice periods were ordered by Coach Van Fleet for his Florida Alligators here today after their 2,000-mile trip for the intersectional clash with the Texas Longhorns Saturday. The Floridans arrived here last night. Tapering off practice was scheduled for the Longhorns today.

DALLAS—The Texas Aggies were expected to reach here today for their Saturday's game with Southern Methodist University as the closing feature of the Texas State Fair.

FORT WORTH—Light practice was orded by Coach Bell for the Horned Frogs here today in preparation for the Rice Institute invasion Saturday.

BAYLOR—Baylor U. meets Austin College here Saturday in an out-of-conference game.

HOUSTON — Headed by Coach Heisman, 22, Rice Institute gridders left Houston last night for Fort Worth where they meet T. C. U. Saturday. McVey, star tackle, ill with measles, was the only varsity player missing.

San Antonio—Contracts lot for widening and straightening Bonham street, improvement of Jefferson street, construction of Alamo ditch storm sewer and Peach street storm sewer.

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